

Walvis Bay - ZS9 Frank DL3ECK, Tom DF2ZQ, and Ralf DH8EAF will operate ZS9/ April 13-19. 10-80 meters, on 14180, 21280, and 28380 kHz on SSB, and 10 kHz up on CW. They'll listen 5 kHz up, and prefer the last two letters of your call. QSL via home call or to DH8EAF. Bureau cards okay.

Namibia - V5 The same three Germans will also operate V5/ April 2-5, and again April 18-20. Same frequency and QSL information as above.

Tuva Republic - UA0Y Yuri UA9USK and Alex UV9UMP will operate R0Y/ Mar. 28-Apr. 15 from the city of Kyzyl in the Tuva Republic, Oblast 159, which is in CQ Zone 23. DXCC country is Asiatic Russia. 1830, 3515, 7015, and 25 kHz up on CW, and 1880, 3795, 7050, 14250, 21250, and 28550 khz on SSB. QSL via Yuri Sudakov, P.O.Box 24, Kiselevsk, 652700 Russia.

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Nevis & St. Christopher Islands - V4 JJ3IMX (ex-

D68YH), JO3VUZ (ex-D68YD) and JH9JFH will operate V4/ from St. Kitts April 29-May 3, 160-10 meters, including the new bands, on CW, SSB, and RTTY. QSL home calls. (Japan DX News.)

South Sandwich Islands - VP8 The VP8SSI

DXpedition fired up on Mar. 21 for about two weeks. First spots (and listening frequencies) include: 7004 (702-36), 14024 (14027-40), 14195, 21295 (21300-310), and 28495 (28700-800). When the geomagnetic field permits, try long-path directions.

Laccadive Islands - VU7 The W1AW DX bulletin quotes VU2NTA as saying that Laccadive licensing is set, and the DXpedition is a 'go' for the second week in April. More information as available.

WPX SSB - March 28-29

- **5Y4FO** is the contest call of 5Z4FO. QSL KB4EKY.
- **TK7R** will be active from Corsica. (DXNS.)
- **PR0R** will be active from Santa Catarina I. (SA-026); QSL Sergio Lima de Almeida PP5JR, Av. Rubens A. Ramos 438/501, Florianopolis SC 88015, Brazil.

Shortly Noted

- **D2/KC7QU** and **D2/WA9PQX** have been reported on 15-meter SSB, around 21320 khz at 21-0030Z. Don KC7QU says 'no problem getting license paperwork.' QSL via K8JP. Doug WA9PQX reports that he is on a freighter at the dock in Luanda, and that he doesn't have an official license.
- The **FO0CI** Clipperton crew report making 48,000 QSOs, the most ever from the island. Remember to include a donation with your QSL card to N7QQ. They financed this trip almost entirely on their own.
- **ZL8RS** appeared for a short time on 21295 kHz Mar. 21. QSL via ZL4DO.
- **V29PI** is Peter (ex-DL3PI, VP2MAP) for several years; try 21155 kHz at 1330Z Sundays. QSL to DJ5KX. (DXNL.)
- **Cambodia** (Kampuchea) XU will probably be readily available shortly. 22,000 United Nations soldiers and officials have started arriving as part of the UN's peace-keeping forces. Some of these are bound to be active amateurs, and the DXCC desk has readily accepted UN authorization for credit. Work any /4Us from the area.
- **HI6UD** will operate April 16-20, from Isla Cabritos National Park, in the middle of inland Lake Enriquillo, which is 40 meters below sea level. 80-10 meters, CW and SSB. QSL to the Union Dominicana de Radioaficionados (UDRA)-Santiago, P.O.Box 449-3, Santiago, Dominican Republic. This is an inland lake, thus the island does not count for IOTA.
- The Yasme QSL cards from the Colvins' XW1QL, XX9TQL, and V85KGP operations will be delayed until April 30; please be patient and don't send backups.
- SSB Net check-ins: **14227 kHz**: (11, 22Z) VK9LA; **14236**: (03Z) KH7/KH6JEB SV0HW/SV9 A71CH EP2MHB; **14256**: (2330Z) 9N1MM VQ9JY A35KB YK1AO; **21313**: (18Z) WZ6C/S2 5Z4BP; **21335**: (14Z) YK1AO 3A2LU 5Z4BP; **28480**: (13Z) J28GG.
- **Islands On The Air**: **YC4GDX** was available in the IOTA bet on 21260 kHz at 1400Z; QSL to Box 99, Pangkalpinang 33101, Bangka Island, Indonesia. **H44MS** (Bernhard DL2GAC) has been on (OC-065) and is looking at (OC-162) Shortland Is. Try the IOTA frequency of 21260 kHz at 0300Z. **LU0MGI** will be active by some Argentine amateurs April 15-19 from Martin Garcia I., a New One for IOTA (SA-???). A joint Russia/Finnish trip to Shuj-Ostrov Island (EU-147) at the end of April, weather permitting. QSL to Radioclub OH7AB, Box 73, Joensuu, Finland. (DXNL.)
- **RTTY**: Regulars: **ZA1TAA** 14087 kHz; **A45ZX** 14082 0100Z. Spots: **BY1QH** 21084 1015Z; **3C1EA** 21085 0030Z; **VP8CFM** 14086 1330Z; **VQ9IO** 28087 1610Z.

Propagation Forecast and Historical Data

| Day | Forecast | 27 Days Before | 55 Days Before |
|------------|--------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| | | Date Flux A K | Date Flux A K |
| March 1992 | | | |
| 27 | Below Normal | 02/29 218 26/27 4 | 02/02 288 24/36 4 |
| 28 | High Normal | 03/01 200 16/18 2 | 02/03 271 48/67 4 |
| 29 | High Normal | 03/02 181 09/10 3 | 02/04 252 17/19 4 |
| 30 | High Normal | 03/03 163 08/11 1 | 02/05 246 07/08 1 |
| 31 | High Normal | 03/04 160 07/10 1 | 02/06 239 06/07 1 |
| April 1992 | | | |
| 1 | High Normal | 03/05 155 09/10 2 | 02/07 241 12/15 1 |
| 2 | High Normal | 03/06 155 06/08 2 | 02/08 225 45/47 3 |
| 3 | High Normal | 03/07 160 07/08 2 | 02/09 236 46/65 2 |
| 4 | High Normal | 03/08 182 09/11 2 | 02/10 241 17/26 3 |
| 5 | High Normal | 03/09 172 16/14 2 | 02/11 224 07/08 2 |
| 6 | High Normal | 03/10 169 14/16 3 | 02/12 210 07/10 1 |
| 7 | Low Normal | 03/11 165 13/19 2 | 02/13 198 08/09 1 |
| 8 | High Normal | 03/12 164 11/11 0 | 02/14 204 09/08 2 |
| 9 | High Normal | 03/13 165 04/07 0 | 02/15 203 05/05 1 |
| 10 | Above Normal | 03/14 165 04/05 1 | 02/16 200 02/04 1 |
| 11 | High Normal | 03/15 169 10/09 2 | 02/17 207 11/12 2 |
| 12 | High Normal | 03/16 161 10/13 3 | 02/18 206 11/13 2 |

Propagation Watch

March 19th provided a good example of how changes in the Earth's geomagnetic field affect DXing. The Boulder A index fell to 2 from double-digit readings the previous few days. The Boulder K index hovered in the 0-1, exceptionally quiet range. Flux was relatively low, but the equinox was only a day away.

The combination of the very quiet geomagnetic field, plus the normal propagation enhancement around the equinox, provided many excellent DX opportunities. The polar paths were very productive, with high signal-to-noise ratios. Many distant stations were louder on the long path. The relatively rare 10-meter long path was extremely fruitful with Africa and Europe loud far past local midnight. These paths are the first to disappear as geomagnetic activity rises; make the most of these openings when they occur, as they provide rare windows into the farthest corners of the world. Besides, the competition is less!

Note that the A index broadcast over WWV and WWVH is yesterday's figure. The K index is only three hours old. Thus the K index is a better indication of current conditions than is the A index. And nothing beats tuning the bands, listening for weak signals in unexpected directions, at odd hours. Persistence will be rewarded in the form of rare DX.

The forecast for the next few weeks suggests more opportunities such as DXers enjoyed March 19th. Solar activity will probably remain low, especially when compared to the previous solar revolutions. Look for flux to remain in the 150-200 range. However, the near-absence of sunspots also reduces the chances of major flares (although coronal holes remain a threat). Combined with the good long-haul openings around the equinox, the low levels of solar activity should provide some good DX. Try the long paths at local dawn and sunset, and again a couple of hours after local sunset. Try skew paths to either side of the poles, probing for maximum signal strength. And see if the existing StratWarm over Siberia affects radio propagation.

News from the DXCC Desk

Newington, CT

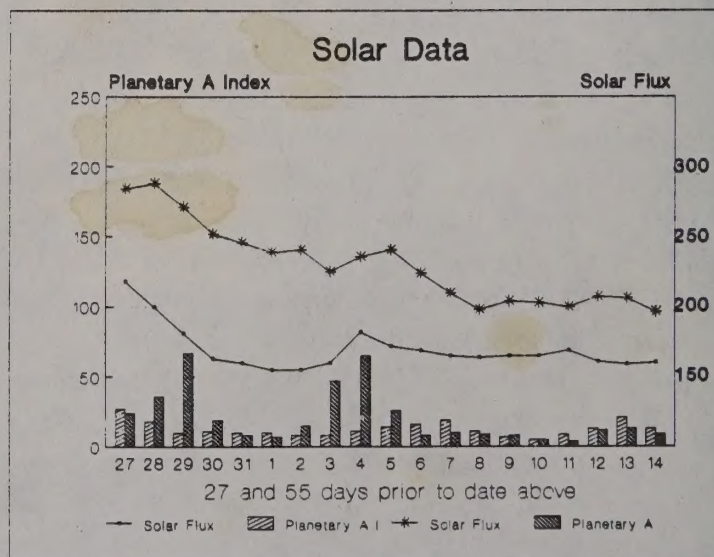
■ The DXCC Desk announced that VP8CIZ on South Georgia Island earlier this month has been accredited for DXCC. That means the cards from Ruth Tollefsen LA6ZH will be acceptable for CW credit as soon as received. Less expected, the DXCC also accepted the paperwork for EP/HA5BUS, the Hungarian Globex Around-the-World tour. The intrepid Hungarians are now in Bangladesh. Although there are many EP stations on the air, none has received DXCC accreditation for years.

■ In the wake of the SY/DJ6SI Mt. Athos controversy, the DXCC desk has issued new, more restrictive requirements for DXCC accreditation of Mt. Athos operations. They will require a Greek-issued (or recognized under treaty [including CEPT?] -ed.) amateur radio license, the Diamonitirion (written permission to entry the Mount Athos region), and entry and amateur radio permission must come from the Common Congregation of the 20 separate monasteries that dot the Mt. Athos peninsula.

[Editorial Comment: DJ6SI operated SY/ from Mt. Athos, under the German-Greek CEPT agreement, and with permission from an individual monastery. The Greeks and others fought a long campaign to prevent DXCC accreditation of Baldur's operation. Ultimately, the League did accept Baldur's operation for DXCC credit. This tightening of the paperwork required for DXCC acceptance of future Mt. Athos operations is a way to prevent non-Greek Mt. Athos operations, and to placate the Greeks. The latter were so upset at the League's acceptance of Baldur's operation that they convinced Monk Apollo to stop checking into SSB nets in protest.]

■ **Top Of The Honor Roll Recognition.** The DXCC desk announced that DXCC members who reach the top of the DXCC Honor Roll for the first time will be identified in QST each month. This begins with applications received on or after April 1, 1992. Such DXers may also order a plaque commemorating their achievement. Order forms are available from the DXCC desk.

■ **The DXCC backlog** hovers at about two+ months. As of March 9, the DXCC desk was processing new applications and endorsements received on December 20. Much of the time is taken up with entering all previous DXCC records into the League's computer system. The League has terminated their do-it-yourself conversion program.



B • A • N • D • P • A • S • S

Key to Bandpass: Callsign, frequency, UTC, day of the month, state. * = long path. P = packet.
All "portable" calls listed with country of operation first, regardless of format used on the air.

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| 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 |
| 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 |
| 29 | 30 | 31 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
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RTTY

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|--------|-------|------|----|----|
| 3C1EA | 28086 | 1545 | 17 | PA |
| 7Q7BR | 21092 | 1853 | 16 | OH |
| 7Q7SR | 21090 | 1950 | 19 | CA |
| 9M6ZZ | 28085 | 0001 | 15 | PA |
| A45ZX | 14084 | 0104 | 15 | FL |
| DU1RP | 21089 | 1715 | 20 | CA |
| FO0CI | 21082 | 2120 | 13 | CA |
| V85GA | 14089 | 2323 | 19 | PA |
| VP25EE | 28082 | 2323 | 15 | PA |
| VP8CFM | 14085 | 2323 | 15 | PA |
| XQ0X | 21083 | 2222 | 19 | PA |
| XX9AS | 28081 | 0130 | 15 | CA |
| YA5MM | 21083 | 1630 | 18 | CA |
| ZA1TAA | 14087 | 2111 | 19 | PA |

160 Meters

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|----------|------|------|----|----|
| 4U1UN | 1836 | 0610 | 12 | ID |
| C6A/KM1E | 1831 | 0501 | 15 | NY |
| KG4DD | 1831 | 0215 | 14 | AL |
| ON4UN | 1835 | 0556 | 14 | AL |
| YS1TG | 1840 | 0632 | 15 | ID |

80 Meters

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|--------|------|------|----|----|
| JA5CZF | 3506 | 1035 | 13 | NH |
| PY0FZ | 3505 | 0547 | 14 | MO |
| RO4OR | 3506 | 0054 | 18 | FL |
| UI8BAA | 3508 | 1418 | 17 | CA |
| V85KX | 3507 | 1040 | 13 | NH |
| ZL1AIZ | 3506 | 1045 | 13 | NH |

40 Meters

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|--------|------|------|----|----|
| 3X0HNU | 7002 | 0620 | 15 | ID |
| 4K2CC | 7006 | 0335 | 14 | IA |
| 5Z4FO | 7003 | 0329 | 14 | NH |
| 7P8SR | 7003 | 0220 | 14 | NH |
| 9V1YS | 7009 | 1310 | 11 | IA |
| A41JZ | 7001 | 0115 | 16 | IA |
| FK8FU | 7005 | 0645 | 10 | CA |
| HF0POL | 7004 | 0800 | 11 | WI |
| HZ1HZ | 7010 | 0100 | 16 | IA |
| KG4DD | 7015 | 0457 | 13 | MA |
| OY1CT | 7001 | 0140 | 16 | IA |
| UF6FAL | 7002 | 0155 | 17 | FL |
| UL7TAQ | 7002 | 0056 | 18 | FL |
| V85KX | 7006 | 1205 | 13 | IA |
| ZA1TAJ | 7004 | 2345 | 16 | IA |

30 Meters

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|--------|-------|------|----|----|
| 5T5CJ | 10106 | 0755 | 17 | OH |
| 7P8SR | 10107 | 0316 | 10 | NY |
| 8Q7CW | 10101 | 0140 | 18 | CA |
| 8Q7CW | 10102 | 1252 | 17 | PA |
| ES0RW | 10103 | 0241 | 17 | FL |
| HH2PK | 10101 | 1808 | 15 | PA |
| KG4DD | 10104 | 2115 | 14 | SC |
| OY1CT | 10104 | 0313 | 20 | PA |
| RY0U | 10102 | 2245 | 14 | SC |
| UJ8S | 10102 | 0501 | 15 | OR |
| ZA1TAC | 10102 | 2105 | 14 | SC |

20 Meter CW

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|----------|-------|------|----|----|
| 3B8FG | 14016 | 0241 | 12 | MT |
| 3B8FK | 14022 | 0235 | 12 | MT |
| 4S7PR * | 14010 | 1304 | 17 | MN |
| 4S7WP | 14005 | 2302 | 15 | MN |
| 5R8GW | 14029 | 0311 | 15 | MT |
| 7Q7LA | 14002 | 0235 | 16 | MN |
| 9J2BQ * | 14013 | 1422 | 14 | IL |
| 9V1JY | 14011 | 1120 | 12 | MA |
| AP/ | 14023 | 0355 | 13 | IL |
| WA2WYR | | | | |
| AP2HA | 14022 | 0100 | 11 | IN |
| BV4CT | 14024 | 1603 | 11 | ID |
| BV4DO * | 14002 | 1302 | 17 | MN |
| EA9PB | 14004 | 0015 | 18 | FL |
| FJ/N0IMH | 14024 | 0204 | 15 | FL |
| HF0POL | 14009 | 0107 | 17 | MN |
| JT2AB | 14006 | 1333 | 16 | MN |
| JW0E | 14014 | 0231 | 16 | MN |
| KG4DD | 14018 | 0123 | 12 | AL |
| PZ1AP | 14022 | 1120 | 19 | FL |
| PZ1DY | 14031 | 2334 | 14 | MN |
| RH8AY | 14003 | 0208 | 12 | MI |
| TU2MA | 14010 | 2255 | 15 | CA |
| UL8GWJ | 14007 | 0318 | 10 | IL |
| UM8QB | 14007 | 0126 | 14 | NH |
| V85KX | 14007 | 1821 | 14 | NH |
| VK6WJ | 14027 | 1127 | 12 | MA |
| VU2NI * | 14006 | 1231 | 13 | WA |
| VU2NTA | 14010 | 0105 | 12 | SC |
| VU2NTA | 14005 | 1225 | 15 | FL |
| VU2PTT * | 14006 | 1133 | 16 | NY |
| VU2TE | 14029 | 0116 | 17 | MN |
| VU2TTC * | 14023 | 1224 | 12 | WA |
| YN/ | 14003 | 1142 | 19 | MN |
| SM0OIG | | | | |
| ZA1TAF | 14024 | 2244 | 14 | MN |

20 Meter SSB

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|---------|-------|------|----|----|
| 9M8AL | 14240 | 1455 | 14 | CA |
| 9X5NH | 14242 | 0315 | 19 | MN |
| A71BS | 14244 | 0345 | 14 | CO |
| A71BY | 14185 | 0230 | 16 | CA |
| KC4AAA | 14285 | 0550 | 13 | WI |
| OD5ZZ | 14282 | 0235 | 15 | VA |
| P29DX | 14188 | 0639 | 8 | BC |
| S2/WZ6C | 14240 | 1920 | 4 | WA |
| VP8BZL | 14195 | 0200 | 14 | CA |
| VU2JJQ | 14217 | 0023 | 11 | NH |
| YK1AO | 14253 | 0550 | 19 | CA |
| ZA1TAG | 14188 | 2342 | 9 | NH |

17 Meter CW

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|--------|-------|------|----|----|
| 4K2CC | 18070 | 0654 | 15 | CA |
| 7P8SR | 18073 | 1913 | 10 | NH |
| 7Q7XX | 18076 | 2009 | 13 | NS |
| EA9BP | 18085 | 2335 | 20 | FL |
| FR5GG | 18071 | 1329 | 10 | OH |
| JT1JA | 18084 | 0100 | 13 | GA |
| OX3XR | 18071 | 1312 | 15 | FL |
| TR8GL | 18080 | 0041 | 18 | FL |
| UA0XAO | 18074 | 2126 | 20 | FL |

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| VQ9CL | 18073 | 0241 | 21 | FL |
| VQ9RM | 18072 | 2138 | 14 | NH |
| VQ9RS | 18070 | 2022 | 14 | SC |
| VU2FWR | 18078 | 0034 | 21 | FL |
| ZA1TAD | 18080 | 1550 | 10 | NY |
| ZA1TAI | 18070 | 1434 | 12 | NH |
| ZP6CW | 18083 | 2149 | 20 | FL |

17 Meter SSB

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|--------|-------|------|----|----|
| 3B9FR | 18130 | 2009 | 15 | MA |
| A92BE | 18150 | 0335 | 16 | MA |
| EA9PB | 18138 | 2244 | 15 | MA |
| KC4AAA | 18141 | 0313 | 16 | MA |
| KG4DD | 18145 | 2239 | 15 | MA |
| OX3EY | 18147 | 2025 | 13 | NS |
| ZD8EB | 18146 | 2232 | 15 | MA |

15 Meter CW

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|--------|-------|------|----|----|
| 3D2AG | 21022 | 0235 | 12 | GA |
| 3X0HNU | 21014 | 1751 | 11 | MI |
| A22SG | 21012 | 1810 | 15 | MN |
| BY4RB | 21018 | 0130 | 17 | IA |
| HK0NAF | 21021 | 2001 | 15 | MN |
| JT1BS | 21016 | 0115 | 13 | GA |
| SU1HV | 21006 | 1937 | 15 | MN |
| UA0YA | 21008 | 0328 | 18 | CA |
| UC2LDU | 21035 | 1529 | 13 | ID |
| VK9CL | 21005 | 1202 | 19 | MN |
| VS6BG | 21009 | 0418 | 14 | IL |
| VU2BK | 21033 | 1424 | 12 | MT |
| YB3OSE | 21010 | 1408 | 13 | CO |
| ZA1BM | 21015 | 1218 | 13 | MA |
| ZA1FD | 21010 | 1244 | 21 | FL |
| ZC4CZ | 21003 | 1523 | 14 | ID |

15 Meter SSB

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|--------|-------|------|----|----|
| 9J2CP | 21247 | 1900 | 13 | NS |
| 9X5NH | 21267 | 0125 | 14 | NS |
| A47RS | 21228 | 2011 | 14 | IL |
| D2/ | 21320 | 2100 | 16 | WA |
| KC7QU | | | | |
| D2/ | 21322 | 2303 | 15 | MN |
| WA9PQX | | | | |
| OD5MZ | 21281 | 0509 | 16 | IL |
| OD5YU | 21243 | 2314 | 15 | MN |
| UA8TAA | 21237 | 0119 | 14 | NS |
| UI8GBK | 21262 | 0350 | 13 | CO |
| UJ8KA | 21293 | 0448 | 15 | IL |
| VU2TTC | 21290 | 1712 | 12 | OR |

12 Meter CW

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|--------|-------|------|----|----|
| 3X0HNU | 24900 | 1412 | 14 | NY |
| 4K2CC | 24901 | 1356 | 11 | OH |
| 7P8SR | 24895 | 1339 | 12 | NH |
| 7Q7XX | 24911 | 1844 | 11 | OH |
| FR5GG | 24920 | 1734 | 14 | SC |
| JW0E | 24895 | 1957 | 13 | OH |
| PY0FZ | 24892 | 2006 | 14 | VA |
| UH8EA | 24912 | 1247 | 13 | OH |
| UJ8KA | 24906 | 1210 | 13 | NS |
| Z21HS | 24900 | 1645 | 14 | SC |
| ZD8OK | 24900 | 1532 | 21 | FL |

12 Meter SSB

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|-------|-------|------|----|----|
| 3B8AD | 24946 | 1453 | 14 | NS |
| HH2PK | 24959 | 1831 | 15 | MA |
| TL8CK | 24960 | 1513 | 14 | NS |
| UH8EA | 24960 | 1209 | 13 | NS |
| Z21HJ | 24946 | 1455 | 14 | NS |
| ZB2AZ | 24978 | 1546 | 15 | MA |

10 Meter CW

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|---------|-------|------|----|----|
| 4K2CC | 28018 | 2040 | 14 | GA |
| 5Z4FM | 28021 | 1909 | 12 | UT |
| 7P8FE | 28010 | 1922 | 17 | CA |
| 7P8SR | 28031 | 1320 | 14 | MN |
| 7Q7BR | 28023 | 1540 | 16 | IA |
| 9J2BO | 28012 | 1119 | 15 | FL |
| 9J2BO * | 28011 | 0553 | 15 | CA |
| AP/ | 28005 | 1356 | 13 | OH |

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| WA2WYR | | | | |
| BY8AC | 28032 | 0130 | 15 | NY |
| CE0FFD | 28010 | 1807 | 15 | GA |
| HF0POL | 28009 | 2335 | 16 | IA |
| JW0E | 28010 | 1800 | 13 | CO |
| P29KH | 28038 | 2130 | 13 | WI |
| SU1HV | 28016 | 1425 | 15 | MN |
| SV0IG/9 | 28016 | 1128 | 15 | FL |
| TU2MA | 28005 | 1231 | 14 | GA |
| TU4SR | 28025 | 1440 | 11 | NH |
| UF6FAL | 28012 | 1600 | 15 | CA |
| UH8EA * | 28027 | 0557 | 15 | CA |
| V85KX | 28005 | 0105 | 14 | GA |
| VK6ZS | 28017 | 1259 | 21 | FL |
| VP2MAX | 28018 | 1234 | 14 | GA |
| VS6BG | 28008 | 0022 | 15 | GA |
| YB3OSE | 28017 | 1416 | 14 | IL |
| ZC4CZ | 28025 | 1235 | 14 | GA |

10 Meter SSB

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|---------|-------|------|----|----|
| 4K2CC | 28475 | 1820 | 15 | CA |
| 4U1ITU | 28493 | 1305 | 19 | MN |
| 6W6JX | 28475 | 1736 | 15 | MN |
| 9K2RA | 28439 | 1401 | 15 | MN |
| 9M8ZZ | 28468 | 2320 | 14 | MN |
| AP2JZB | 28642 | 1508 | 14 | MN |
| AP2MC | 28500 | 1444 | 14 | IL |
| BV2BT * | 28520 | 1335 | 15 | MN |
| JT1BS | 28490 | 0043 | 16 | CA |
| JY3ZH | 28490 | 1402 | 13 | IL |
| KG6JJH | 28472 | 2205 | 13 | NY |
| KG6SL | 28560 | 2142 | 14 | VA |
| TL8NG | 28592 | 1438 | 15 | MN |
| TR8GL | 28495 | 2340 | 13 | CO |
| TZ6NU | 28507 | 1452 | 15 | MN |
| V51BG | 28362 | 1525 | 16 | IA |
| V85GA | 28525 | 2250 | 15 | MN |
| VE8DR | 28506 | 1959 | 14 | CA |
| VK9CL | 28488 | 0333 | 20 | PA |
| VU2WAP | 28508 | 0230 | 16 | CA |
| VU2WAP | 28498 | 1612 | 15 | MN |
| XX9AS | 28380 | 0000 | 13 | CO |
| XX9TQL | 28480 | 2345 | 15 | CA |
| YK1AO | 28490 | 1501 | 16 | TX |
| ZA1TAG | 28502 | 1514 | 15 | CO |

Current and Future DXpeditions

(Changes and hot info in boldface.)

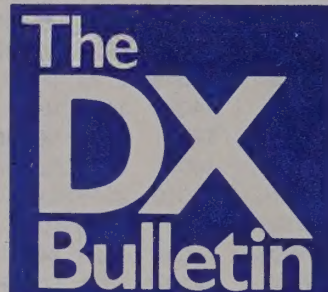
| <u>DXCC Country</u> | <u>Prefix</u> | <u>Callsign</u> | <u>Dates</u> | <u>Issue</u> |
|---------------------|---------------|-----------------|----------------|--------------|
| Angola? | D2/ | KC7QU, WA9PQX | | I631 |
| Anguilla | VP2E | VP2EOH | Apr. 16-21 | I630 |
| Antigua | V2 | V29PI | Now | I631 |
| Bahamas | C6A/ | KM1E | Mar. 6-31 | I626 |
| | | C6AFP | Mar. 27-Apr. 3 | I627 |
| Bangladesh | S2 | HA5BUS | Now-April | I630 |
| Burkina Faso | XT | XT2BW | one year | I628 |
| Cocos-Keeling | VK9 | CL/CK | Now-Apr. 6 | I627 |
| Corsica | TK | TK5A | March 28-29 | I629 |
| | | TK/I4ALU | Apr. 17-21 | I630 |
| Dominican Rep. | HI | HI6UD | Apr. 16-20 | I631 |
| Fiji | 3D | 3D2QB | 28007 01Z | I622 |
| Franz Josef Land | 4K2/ | UV3AAC | Mar. 20+ | I625 |
| French Polynesia | FO | FO0PT | Now-Apr. 4 | I629 |
| Galapagos | HC8 | HC8A | Mar. 28-29 | I629 |
| Indonesia | YB | YB3ASQ | Now-April | I627 |
| Iraq | YI | YI1BGD | by YU3PR? | I628 |
| Ivory Coast | TU | TU4SR | to March 30 | I628 |
| Kuwait | 9K | 9K2WR | to July | I620 |
| | | 9K2ZZ | to March 30 | I628 |
| Macao | XX | XX9TQL | Now | I629 |
| Maldives | 8Q | 8Q7?? | Mar. 23-31 | I629 |
| | | 8Q7PJ | Apr. 17-24 | I630 |
| Micronesia | V6 | V63SA | Mar. 25-27 | I626 |
| | | by WC5N | May 2-9 | I630 |
| Midway Island | KH4/ | N7TNL | to April 9 | I628 |
| Namibia | V5 | V5/s | Apr. 25, 18-20 | I631 |
| Nevis & St. Kitts | V4/ | JAs | Apr. 29-May 3 | I631 |
| Pakistan | AP/ | WA2WYR | Now active | I619 |
| Rotuma | 3D | 3D2AG | to Mar. 31 | I630 |
| Saint Martin | FJ | FJ/N0IMH | Mar. 13-27 | I625 |
| St. Kitts | V4 | V47ITU | Now | I626 |
| Sao Tome | S9 | S9AGD | Apr. 1-8 | I630 |
| | | S92AA | Apr. 11-21 | I630 |
| | | S92IJ | 28495 13Z | I630 |
| South Sandwich | VP8 | VP8SSI | Now Active | I629 |
| Sri Lanka | 4S | JA1OEM | Mar. 24-31 | I630 |
| Trindade | PY0 | PY0TY | March | I626 |
| Tuva Republic | R0Y/ | UA9Us | Mar.28-Apr.15 | I631 |
| Uganda | 5X | 5X5WR/a | 21332/28332 | I630 |
| Walvis Bay | ZS9 | ZD9/s | Apr. 13-19 | I631 |

Operating Events and DX Gatherings

| <u>Dates</u> | <u>Event</u> | <u>Reference:</u> |
|--------------|-----------------------------|-------------------|
| Mar. 28-29 | WPX SSB Test | <u>CQ</u> |
| March 31 | DXCC Honor Roll Deadline | <u>QST</u> |
| April 4-5 | Polish DX Contest | <u>CQ</u> |
| April 10-12 | Visalia International Conv. | I623 |
| April 18-19 | SARTG AMTOR Contest | <u>CQ</u> |
| April 24-26 | Dayton Hamvention | |
| May 2-3 | Italian DX Contest | <u>CQ</u> |

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| <u>DXCC Country</u> | <u>Callsign</u> | <u>Freq.</u> | <u>UTC</u> |
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| Albania | ZA1TAC | 10103± | 21-22, 04Z |
| Albania | ZA1TAJ | 7003 | 2345Z |
| Antarctica | KC4AAA | 18142 | 0300Z |
| China | BY8AC | 10M CW | 0130Z |
| Easter Island | CE0FFD | 28010 | 18-2400Z |
| Fiji | 3D2QB | 21010 | 0300Z |
| Franz Josef Land | 4K2CC | 28020± | 2040Z |
| Franz Josef Land | 4K2CC | 28495± | 18Z Sat/Sun |
| Guantanamo Bay | KG4DD | 14018 | 0120Z |
| Hong Kong | VS6BG | 28008 | 0020Z |
| India | VU2JJQ | 14205± | 00-0230Z |
| India | VU2TTC | 15M SSB | 17-1900Z |
| Jordan | JY3ZH | 28500± | 14Z Fri/Sat |
| Kenya | 5Z4FM | 28020 | 1900Z |
| Mauritius Island | 3B8FG | 14018± | 0240Z |



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